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INFO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

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TAGS: PARM PROP SOPN HU US

SUBJECT: ANTI-NEUTRON BOMB CAMPAIGN

REF: MOSCOW 11506

1. HUNGARY BEGAN ITS PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN IN OPPOSITION TO U.S. DEVELOP-

MENT OF NEUTRON BOMB WITH TV BROADCAST ON AUG 7. CAMPAIGN HAS BEEN
MODERATE REACHING ITS PEAK OVER WEEKEND AUG 13-14 WITH ARTICLES IN EACH

OF COUNTRY'S MAJOR NEWSPAPERS, AND A DECLARATION BY THE NATIONAL PEACE

COUNCIL. LATTER CLAIMS PROTEST MEETINGS AND FACTORY GATHERINGS TAKING

PLACE THROUGHOUT COUNTRY BUT EMBASSY SKEPTICAL. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED
ONLY TWO PROTEST TELEGRAMS FROM SOCIALIST WORK BRIGADES.

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2. MEDIA HAS GENERALLY CONFINED ITSELF TO GENERALIZED CLAIM THAT U.S.

DEPLOYMENT OF NEUTRON BOMB WOULD MEAN ESCALATION OF ARMS RACE AND TO
CITATION OF FOREIGN -- MOSTLY WEST EUROPEAN AND COMMUNIST -- OPPOSITION

TO BOMB. EXCEPT FOR NEPSZABADSAG COMMENTATOR WHO SAW BOMB AS

INCREASING TEMPTATION TO STEP OVER THE NUCLEAR THRESHOLD,
NEWSPAPERS HAVE AVOIDED DISCUSSION OF STRATEGIC AND TACTICAL
IMPLICATIONS OF DEPLOYING NEUTRON BOMB.
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